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AGAINST OXIDATION OF A CONDUCTIVE LAYER IN SAID  
DEVICE

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<u>U.S. Patent No.</u>	<u>Issue Date</u>	<u>Inventor</u>
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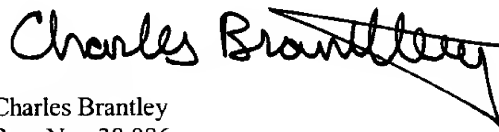
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If there are any matters which may be resolved or clarified through telephone interview, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact Applicant's undersigned attorney at the number indicated.

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A Form PTO-1449 is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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